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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Sean Sanderlin  SERIAL NO. 09/922,210  FILED: August 3, 2001	ATTY DKT NO. P-99996.886 (UTI)  GROUP NO.: 3629  EXAMINER: Naresh Vig
TITLE: COMPUTERIZED CONFLICT CHECKING SYSTEM	
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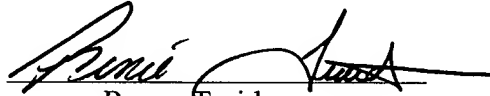
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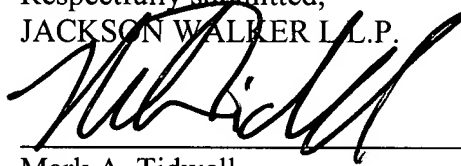
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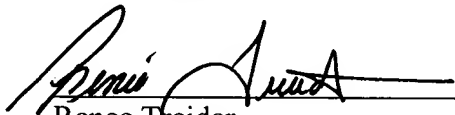


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Application Number	09/982,210
Filing Date	August 3, 2001
First Named Inventor	Sean Sanderlin
Art Unit	3629
Examiner Name	Naresh Vig
Attorney Docket Number	0999996.0886

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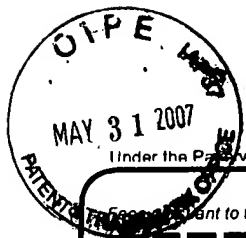
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
12	- 20 or HP =	x	=

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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